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CHICKEN AND CHICKEN PRODUCTS, INVITATION NO. 21, ANNOUNCEMENT
PY-322; **FINAL REQUIREMENTS**

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell chicken and chicken products as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, April 14. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, April 18. Deliveries for all products except bulk legs are to be made from May 16 to June 15, and for bulk legs, May 16 to June 30.

This invitation has been revised to add 360,000 pounds to item 010, New Holland, Pennsylvania.

All offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbcl000.exe?>. Offers submitted by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Items listed as "KOSHER ONLY" must be produced as a kosher product. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-322; Appendix-1; the Commodity Specifications for Chicken Parts, Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts, and Batter/Breaded Chicken Breasts, Thighs, and Drumsticks dated May 2007; or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs; Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave. SW; Washington, D.C. 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the world-wide-web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-322, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

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Cut-up (221240) - Frozen cut-up chickens, 8 pieces, without necks and giblets. Cut-up chickens must be produced from ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens which weigh 2.50 to 3.75 pounds (1.13 to 1.70 kg) without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in a minimum of four plastic-film bags and packed 40 pounds (18.14 kg) net weight in each fiberboard shipping container, with 1,000 containers per purchase unit totaling 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

Bulk Pack, Small (221690) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens without necks and giblets. Frozen may be specified in the Invitation. The weight range for an individual chicken is 2.50 to 3.75 pounds (1.13 to 1.70 kg), without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required in the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated May 2007. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Bulk Pack, Large (222590) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens without necks or giblets. Frozen may be specified in the Invitation. The individual chicken weight range must be over 3.75 pounds (over 1.70 kg) per carcass weighed without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required within the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated May 2007. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Chicken Legs, Bulk Parts (224190) - Chilled chicken legs, bulk packed for further processing. Legs must weigh between 5 and 17.50 ounces (141.75 and 496.11 g) each, or be produced from ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens which weigh 2.50 to 7 pounds (1.13 to 3.18 kg) per whole carcass, without necks and giblets. Frozen may be specified in the Invitation. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required within the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated May 2007. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY322
INVITATION : 021
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 12 CHICKEN, CUT-UP, FROZEN
PACK SIZE : 40 40 LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 05/16/08 - 05/31/08

001	BROOKLYN	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000**KOSHER**
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TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 40,000

COMM TYPE : 16 CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK SM
PACK SIZE : 90 2 1/2 - 3 3/4 LB BULK PACK

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DELIVERY PERIOD 05/16/08 - 05/31/08

002	PINE BLUFF	AR	TRUCK ONLY	1,116,000*
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003	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	36,000
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004	BROKEN BOW	OK	TRUCK ONLY	72,000*
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005	MOOREFIELD	WV	TRUCK ONLY	72,000
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DELIVERY PERIOD 06/01/08 - 06/15/08

006	PINE BLUFF	AR	TRUCK ONLY	180,000*
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TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 1,476,000

***NO TOLERANCE ALLOWED** - Less than 36,000 pounds will be rejected.

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY322
INVITATION : 021
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 25 CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK LG
PACK SIZE : 90 OVER 3.75 LB BULK PACK

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DELIVERY PERIOD 05/16/08 - 05/31/08

007	DOTHAN	AL	TRUCK ONLY	36,000*
008	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	216,000
009	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	540,000*
010	NEW HOLLAND	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,836,000*
011	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	180,000*
012	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	108,000
013	BOAZ	AL	TRUCK ONLY	360,000*
014	PINE BLUFF	AR	TRUCK ONLY	216,000*

DELIVERY PERIOD 06/01/08 - 06/15/08

015	FORT SMITH	AR	TRUCK ONLY	684,000
016	GAINESVILLE	GA	TRUCK ONLY	72,000
017	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	108,000
018	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	720,000*

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 5,076,000

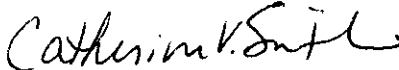
***NO TOLERANCE ALLOWED** - Less than 36,000 pounds will be rejected.

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY322
INVITATION : 021
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 41 CHICKEN, CHILLED, LEGS
PACK SIZE : 90 BULK PACK

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)

DELIVERY PERIOD 05/16/08 - 05/31/08				
019	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	360,000*
DELIVERY PERIOD 06/01/08 - 06/15/08				
020	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	360,000*
DELIVERY PERIOD 06/16/08 - 06/30/08				
021	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	108,000*
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				828,000
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION				7,420,000

***NO TOLERANCE ALLOWED** - Less than 36,000 pounds will be rejected.



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